

SOME FOOTBALL GOSPEL

Another football season is dawning, and if the University of Oregon is to have a creditable eleven, our latent football spirit must be revived and the team supported with the same loyalty that the crack team of 1895, 1899, and 1900 were backed up. Most of us remember the balmy days when "Dick" Smith, Bishop, and Jakway were the idols of an admiring student body and how everybody stood by Coach "Pete" Kaarsberg and his aggregation of pigskin kickers. Most of us remember how Oregon lowered the colors of California and Washington, and how the teams of all neighboring colleges went down to defeat before our boys.

Most of us also have distinct recollection of last season—how the team was not supported and how it lost a majority of games.

If petty jealousy, lack of college spirit on the part of both students and faculty, and non-support of student enterprises count for anything, last year was certainly an epoch-making period at the 'varsity.

Now, gentle reader, it is time for this nonsense to cease. It is time for the U. O. to put out a winning football team, one in which every student of the University takes an abiding interest. Let us see if the conditions of last year cannot be changed a bit. Those who can play should do so. Those who can not should support the team with the spirit infused by Frank Simpson in 1898.

Turn out to the practices, do a little "rooting," and show the players that they have the sympathy of their class-mates and friends. Don't be a "knocker." Nobody ever accomplished anything by "knocking." Turn that "anvil chorus" into an enthusiastic gang of rooters and see that Coach Dolph and his men are accorded the support that is justly due them.

AN OLD HAS BEEN.

The following article clipped from The Pacific Wave, the official organ of the U. of W., shows the sentiment of that university in regard to the strained athletic relations between itself and the U. of O.:

During the past week Mr. Eselman has received several letters from Oregon University desiring to again open up athletic relations with Washington. The Oregon men who were so prominent in our breach of last season have graduated, and new men are in charge. Of course we could not bring Oregon here for a game, but could take our team there. It is to be hoped that Oregon and Washington can get on friendly and firm athletic relations once more.

On October 1st, the University of Chicago eleven made a score against Ft. Sheridan of 53 to 0.

At hand is a copy of the Kansas University Weekly. If the K. U. Weekly keeps up the standard set by this first issue it will prove itself the brightest paper upon our exchange list. From beginning to end it is full of bright humor and spicy wit. We believe if other college weeklies would sprinkle more humor and spice in their issues, they would find a more enthusiastic appreciation among the patrons "Laugh and the world laughs with you, weep and you weep alone."

The following are the scores of some of the big football games of the East that have started this season:

Harvard 23—Bates 0; Yale 24—Amherst 0; Pennsylvania 17—State College 0; Chicago 5—Knox 0; Princeton 23—Lehigh 0; West Point 5—Tufts College 0; Carlisle 0—Scrubs 0; Columbia 22—Rutger 0; Annapolis 0—Georgetown 5; Wisconsin 24—Hyde Park 0; Williams 6—Hamilton 5; Cornell 43—Union College 0.

The junior maidens of the University of California gave the freshmen girls, what they termed a Dove Party. In reality it was a feminine edition of the old stag party of the sterner sex. We hope no such fad will come in vogue here, as it looks to be so clanish.

Senator R. A. Booth, of Eugene, has within the last few days made a gift of \$11,000 to Willamette University. The Willamette Collegian in speaking of the gift is justly very enthusiastic, and we congratulate Willamette upon having such a liberal patron.

The University of Chicago Weekly has been discontinued and in its place is established the Daily Maroon, the first publication of which appeared on October 1, 1902. The new publication is a four page sheet about the size of the Oregon Weekly.

A new law school has been added to the University of Chicago. Its present location is in the Press building.

Carl L. Clemens, Stanford '03, will be head coach at Stanford this year, assisted by Stuart M. Kohn of University of Michigan.

The Stanford freshman eleven won from Berkeley High School, October 3, by a score of 18 to 0.

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